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Southern Indiana Time Table

TRAINS LEAVE FOR NORTH.

No. 2 daily..... 7:05 a. m.

No. 4 "..... 11:30 a. m.

No. 6 "..... 5:25 p. m.

TRAINS ARRIVE FROM NORTH.

No. 1 daily..... 9:55 a. m.

No. 3 "..... 3:15 p. m.

No. 5 "..... 9:30 p. m.

Local freight train will carry passengers between Seymour and Westport. Leaving at 3:15 p. m.; arriving 6:5 a. m.

New Train Service from Chicago via Southern Indiana Ry.

Leave Chicago 1:00 p. m. via C & E. I. R.

Arrive Terre Haute 5:30 p. m. Leave Terre Haute 6:35 p. m.

Arrive Seymour 9:30 p. m.

Passengers will take C. & E. I. Ry. from Dearborn Station.

Change in Time of Trains on Pennsylvania Lines.

Under a new schedule in effect Feb. 7, passenger trains over the Pennsylvania lines leave station as follows:

For the north, 8:06 a. m., 9:50 a. m., 3:35 p. m., 4:54 p. m., 9:52 p. m.

For the south, 5:15 a. m., 8:35 a. m., 10:06 a. m., 5:40 p. m., 8:42 p. m.

For particular information on the subject apply to ticket agent, J. W. Wray.

HARDI GRAS EXCURSIONS

To New Orleans, Mobile and Pensacola via Pennsylvania Lines.

February 9th to 15th, inclusive, excursion tickets to New Orleans, La., Mobile, Ala., and Pensacola, Fla. will be sold via Pennsylvania lines.

Fares, time of trains, etc., furnished by ticket agent of the Pennsylvania lines.

MENACING RUMORS

Is Europe to be Plunged Into a General Sympathetic War?

A BUSY TIME FOR MARS

Great Britain is Pushing Her Armament Preparations to the Utmost, Working Night and Day.

Russia is Openly Expecting War With England and Relies on Germany's Support.

Reports of Military Activity are Received From All Over Europe.

St. Petersburg, Feb. 19.—A telegram received here from Port Arthur, says the Japanese have captured the Okhotsk-Kamishatka company's steamer Kolk Bovrik.

London, Feb. 19.—Little far Eastern news appears in the press today with the exception of official dispatches, and the comment is made that the official reports of Viceroy Alexieff and others are remarkable mostly for what they leave unsaid. These reports attract far less attention than does the significantly frank Russian proclamation asking the people to be patient until the army is ready to strike blows worthy of the dignity and might of Russia. The threats in this document are commented upon by the British press in tones of considerable irony.

It is now believed both in London and on the continent that Viceroy Alexieff has decided to fall back upon Harbin, practically abandoning Port Arthur, Vladivostok and the whole of southern Manchuria to the Japanese and that he is perhaps hoping that the reduction of Port Arthur and Vladivostok will occupy the enemy while he is concentrating his forces at Harbin.

The papers comment upon the activity which is seen at Woolwich and elsewhere in refitting the navy in preparation for any emergency. It is admitted that the manufacturers of fixed ammunition have been working night shifts since Christmas, and that all the surplus obsolete war material, useless at home and abroad is being replaced as rapidly as possible. Special interest attaches to the equipment of sixty battleships with the new twelve-inch wire-steeled guns, 450 of which were ordered by the admiralty four years ago at an expense of \$22,500,000. These are said to be the most modern and most powerful guns in existence in any navy and they are capable of throwing an aimed shot accurately a distance of 16,000 yards.

Similar reports of military activity are received from other countries. For instance, Spain is preparing for possibilities. The Spanish minister of war informed a newspaper man that he was mobilizing all the military forces at his disposal, and said: "Although the Russo-Japanese dispute does not concern us, we must be prepared for all eventualities."

Panama Investigation Tomorrow. Panama, Feb. 19.—Pablo Arrese, president of the constitutional convention, will preside at the inauguration ceremonies of Dr. Amador, president-elect of Panama, tomorrow.

MARKET REPORT

Prevailing Prices for Grain, Provisions and Livestock on Feb. 18.

Indianapolis Grain and Livestock.

Wheat—Wagon, \$1.20; 2 rail, strong, \$1.02.

Corn—Strong; No. 2 mixed, 44¢.

Oats—Strong; No. 2 mixed, 41¢.

Hay—Clover, \$2.50; timothy, \$1.00.

Cattle—Steady at \$17.50.

Hogs—Strong at \$10.00.

Sheep—Steady at \$12.00.

Lamb—Steady at \$5.00.

Grain and Provisions at Chicago.

Wheat—

May..... 1.58 1/2

July..... 1.58 1/2

Sept..... 1.58 1/2

Corn—

May..... 1.05 1/2

July..... 1.05 1/2

Sept..... 1.05 1/2

Oats—

May..... 1.05 1/2

July..... 1.05 1/2

Sept..... 1.05 1/2

Hogs—

May..... 1.05 1/2

July..... 1.05 1/2

Sept..... 1.05 1/2

Lamb—

May..... 1.05 1/2

July..... 1.05 1/2

Sept..... 1.05 1/2

At Cincinnati.

Wheat—Firm; No. 2 red, 1.05.

Corn—Steady; No. 2 mixed, 47¢.

Oats—Quiet; No. 2 mixed, 44¢.

Cattle—Steady at \$12.00.

Hogs—Firm at \$10.00.

Sheep—Strong at \$12.00.

Lamb—Active at \$5.00.

At New York.

Cattle—Firm at \$12.00.

Hogs—Firm at \$10.00.

Sheep—Firm at \$12.00.

Lamb—Steady at \$5.00.

East Buffalo Livestock.

Cattle—Steady at \$12.00.

Hogs—Active at \$10.00.

Sheep—Steady at \$12.00.

Lamb—Steady at \$5.00.

Mexico Is Neutral.

Mexico City, Feb. 19.—Mexico has officially declared her neutrality in relation to the war in the far East.

A LIVELY RIVALRY

Marion County Republicans in Good-Natured Contest.

Indianapolis, Feb. 19.—A lively fight is on here for control of the Marion county Republican organization. The primaries will be held next Thursday and they promise to be red hot. The old Bookwalter organization is backing Sheriff Robert Metzger for county chairman. The element of the party that opposed Bookwalter in the recent municipal campaign favors Colonel Harry B. Smith. The indications are that Metzger will win. He is well known as a good organizer and with the machine behind him, even if it was not strong enough to win last fall, he has an advantage. Smith has just completed his second term as county auditor and is regarded as a good politician but he has never been very popular with the party workers and he is having an uphill fight although his friends say he will certainly win.

Frank L. Jones of South Bend, former state superintendent of public instruction, who was here today on business, promptly disposed of a rumor that he might be a candidate for another term. "Such an idea has never entered my head," he said. "The rumor is news to me as I never heard of it. Of course I won't be a candidate again. Mr. Cotton is entitled to another term and I suppose he will be re-nominated." Mr. Jones still takes an active interest in state politics but he has only resided a short time at South Bend and is not familiar with the local conditions. He says, however, that both Hanly and Taylor have many friends there in their race for governor.

The Republican and Democratic state committees will probably join hands at once in bringing a suit to test the constitutionality of the law passed by the last legislature fixing the terms of certain county officials and giving many treasurers and recorders an extra year in office. The act was passed at the urgent request of the County Officers' association. Alonzo Green Smith, former attorney general, attorney for the Democratic state committee, has sent an opinion to Chairman O'Brien coinciding with the opinion rendered recently by Addison C. Harris, attorney for the Republican state committee who held the act unconstitutional. The matter is of vast importance to both parties as the nominations are now being made and a decision will be necessary so that it will be definitely known just what officers are to be nominated.

There was a rumor today that the Bookwalter machine is still bent upon defeating Congressman Overstreet. The latter has always had easy sailing here although he was originally nominated from Johnson county which is not a part of the present district. The fact is that while Overstreet has made a splendid reputation in congress and is well liked by the party here he is generally regarded as a very lucky politician to have gotten away with so many nominations in a strange community with so little opposition. There is talk now that the machine would give the nomination to John L. Griffiths if he would accept, but he said today that he would not be a candidate under any circumstances. So far the machine has been unable to induce anyone to run.

The political situation in the Eleventh district is rapidly reaching a stage where it is of intense interest to the party workers. It was stated today that Major Steele will declare himself openly soon as a candidate for congress and that the convention will be held in Peru, March 25 or 26. He controls the district machinery and will fix the date to suit himself. It was also stated today that Dr. Charles Good of Warren who was a candidate last time and a member of the anti-Steele combination will not run this year so the fight is liable to be straight away between Steele and Fred Landis.

Feel Your "Buffalo" Bills.

New York, Feb. 19.—The experts at the United States treasury in this city have discovered that Brooklyn is being flooded with an extraordinary good counterfeit of the "Buffalo" ten dollar bill. About fifteen of these bills have been turned in by banks in the last fortnight, and nearly every bill came out of Brooklyn. The engraving of the bill is so good as to enable them to defy detection even with a glass. It is only the "feel" of the bills that the specimens have been discovered so far.

Baltimore's Fire Loss.

Baltimore, Md., Feb. 19.—Insurance experts are in an optimistic frame of mind over the prospect that the aggregate insurance loss will be considerably smaller than was at first expected. They now are confident that the loss caused by the conflagration will not exceed \$40,000,000.

DON'T NEGLECT

Your stomach and bowels. So much depend upon them. Your health, happiness, and even your life is controlled largely by these organs. It is therefore very important at the first symptom of the stomach becoming weak or the bowels constipated that you take a few doses of Hostetter's Stomach Bitters. It is the best stomach and bowel medicine in existence, and positively cures Heartburn, Indigestion, Dyspepsia, Constipation and Malaria. Try it.

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THE FINAL RITES

Cleveland Pays Signal Honor to Her Most Honored Son.

BODY LAID TO REST

All That Is Mortal of Senator Hanna Now Reposes in a Vault at Lakeview Cemetery.

Remarkable Demonstration of Affection on the Part of Cleveland's Citizens.

Cleveland, O., Feb. 19.—This city has truly been one of mourning for the past two days. The funeral today of Senator Marcus A. Hanna was marked by the most notable exhibition of popular regard for the memory of the departed statesman. During the progress of the funeral ceremonies at St. John's church business was wholly suspended in the city and for five minutes, at 1 o'clock, the hour the services began, streetcar service ceased and practically every wheel in the city stood still. In every way the people of his home city expressed their sorrow at the passing of their honored fellow citizen.

While the services at St. John's church were formally ritualistic, upon the request of many of the friends of the Hanna family Bishop Leonard delivered a short eulogistic address at the conclusion of the regular funeral services upon the life of the dead statesman. Bishop Leonard was assisted in the services by Rev. Wm. M. Pierce, president of Kenyon college, at Gambier, O.; Rev. Dr. McGrew, of St. Paul's and Rev. A. H. Jones, of St. John's church, of which Mr. Hanna was a vestryman.

At the close of the services at the church the body was conveyed to Lakeview cemetery and after a brief burial service in Wade mortuary chapel, was placed temporarily in the Wade vault, it not having yet been decided where the body should finally be buried. The last rites were participated in by many men high in the councils of the nation who had gathered from all parts of the land to pay their parting tribute.

A City's Tribute.

Upon a shrouded catafalque, the same upon which rested the remains of President McKinley at Canton, the body of Senator Hanna yesterday lay at state in the auditorium of the Chamber of Commerce where it was taken immediately upon the arrival of the funeral train from Washington. Surrounded by a veritable garden of flowers and guarded by a detail of soldiers from the state militia, the city of Cleveland claimed its own distinguished dead. During the afternoon, from 1:30 to 9:30 o'clock last night fully 30,000 people passed the flower-covered casket and took a last look upon the features of the dead statesman.

With snow blowing into their faces and a cold wind chilling them through and through, thousands of people stood for hours in a double line stretching for more than five squares, waiting for an opportunity to pass into the building where lay the remains, and when at 9:30 o'clock the doors were closed for the night, there were still several thousand who had waited patiently but were compelled to return home disappointed.

At 9:30 last night Memorial Post G. A. R., of which Senator Hanna was a member, marched to the Chamber of Commerce in a body and in the presence of their dead comrade conducted the ritualistic funeral service of their organization. After this service the hall was closed, members of Troop A remaining to guard the body during the night.

A Mere Question of Precedent.

Cleveland, O., Feb. 19.—Elmer Dower, private secretary to the late Senator Hanna, in answer to the many queries as to why the president did not come to Cleveland to attend Senator Hanna's funeral said that it was the wish of the president personally to do so but after a conference with members of the cabinet he realized that to do so would establish a precedent that he could not always comply with in the instance of the death of others of equal rank.

Shot Father-in-Law.

Edwardsville, Ill., Feb. 19.—In the presence of his wife and three children, William W. Grange, shot and killed John E. Lewis, the foster father of his wife. He then pointed the revolver at his wife and then at each of the children, and after hesitating a moment, put the weapon into his pocket and walked from the house. The killing grew out of a family quarrel.

Many Indians Graduate.

Carlisle, Pa., Feb. 19.—Several thousand persons witnessed the commencement exercises at the Carlisle Indian school when diplomas were presented to the largest class in the history of the institution, the graduates numbering 43. Col. R. H. Pratt presented the diplomas; he made a strong plea for Indian citizenship and the breaking up of tribal relations.

Appropriation for Fortifications.

Washington, Feb. 19.—The house has passed the fortifications appropriation bill.

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Official Denial of Any Japanese Losses Is Made.

London, Feb. 19.—The Japanese legation here received an official dispatch from Tokio saying it was not true that any Japanese vessels had been destroyed, so far in any of the

various naval engagements, and that all necessary repairs had already been made. The Japanese fleet remains intact.

This message also denied the report that the Japanese were driven from the neighborhood of Kin Chau, after a skirmish in which 150 Japanese were taken prisoners, and declares that the Japanese made no attempt to land at Pigeon Bay. It says the Japanese forces have up to the present time made no attempt to land at any point where they could come in contact with the Russians, and that consequently all reports of land actions and Japanese losses are untrue.

Patching Them Up

Damaged Russian War Vessels Being Put in Ship-Shape.

Port Arthur, Feb. 19.—Repairs to the Russian warships damaged during the bombardment of Feb. 9 are rapidly

proceeding. The Czarevitch, Retvizan and Pallada will soon join the fleet. The work is being carried on with the aid of caissons. The mishap was not so great as at first believed.

A Real State of Siege.

Paris, Feb. 19.—An eminent military authority connected with one of the embassies said that Port Arthur was practically besieged, and it was a serious question whether this would not compel either the abandonment or the surrender of the fortress with its men and material.

GETTING TOGETHER

Two Churches of Similar Faith Form a Union.

St. Louis, Mo., Feb. 19.—Official announcement that the union of the Presbyterian and Cumberland Presby-

Teamsters' Strike Threatened.

Cincinnati, Feb. 19.—It was reported after conference last night that there would be a strike of over 6,000 teamsters here on March 18, the date on which existing contracts expire. About 2,000 employers will be affected. The trouble is all because the Employers' association refuses to recognize the union.

TERSE TELEGRAMS

A large part of the fishing settlement near Seabright, N. J., was burned.

The bill to grant \$150,000 to former Queen Liliouokalani was defeated in the senate.

Samuel Gompers, president of the American Federation of Labor, is at San Juan, P. R.

The state department has received the resignation of W. B. Buchanan, minister to Panama.

Greensboro (N. C.), female college burned. Loss, \$120,000. All of the 120 students escaped.

The first detachment of Russian troops has started from Irkutsk, Siberia, for Port Arthur.

The Russian embassy at Washington is flooded with offers of assistance from Americans in various walks of life.

Expert mining engineers from all parts of the United States are gathered at Atlantic City in annual convention.

Yuan Shih Kai, commander-in-chief of the Chinese army and navy, has ordered 2,500 men to Tai Chon to maintain order.

Biscuit and cracker manufacturers of the United States, representing 135 industries, are in annual convention at Atlantic, Ga.

The grand jury has renewed its inquiry into the various kinds of gambling which are reported to be in progress in St. Louis.

The Reuter Telegram company wires that seven Russian officers and 49 men were killed in the fight at Chumpey a week ago.

The Russian cruisers Varang and Korietz were sunk.

Would You Think It?

Would you think it possible that you could be disappointed in the face of a woman whose shapely shoulders, and beautiful hair suggest womanly perfection and beauty? You could be disappointed if you not seldom when the fact is that you

shows disgusting blotches and blemishes. In general the cause of these eruptions is impure blood.

Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery purifies the blood, and removes the corrupt accumulations which cause disease. When the blood is cleansed, pimples, tetters, salt-rheum, boils, sores, and other results of impure blood, are perfectly and permanently cured.

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Women who are troubled with painful or irregular menstruation, backache, bloating (or flatulence), leucorrhoea, falling, inflammation or ulceration of the uterus, ovarian troubles, that "bearing-down" feeling, dizziness, faintness, indigestion, nervous prostration or the blues, should take immediate action to ward off the serious consequences, and be restored to perfect health and strength by taking Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, and then write to Mrs. Pinkham, Lynn, Mass., for further free advice. Thousands have been cured by so doing, and by the use of

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"DEAR MRS. PINKHAM:—I suffered for six years with dysmenorrhea (painful periods), so much so that I dreaded every month, as I knew it meant three or four days of intense pain. The doctor said this was due to an inflamed condition of the uterine appendages caused by repeated and neglected colds. "If young girls only realized how dangerous it is to take cold at this critical time, much suffering would be spared them. Thank God for Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, that was the only medicine that helped me any. Within three weeks after I started to take it, I noticed a marked improvement in my general health, and at the time of my next monthly period the pain had diminished considerably. I kept up the treatment, and was cured a month later. I am like another person since. I am in perfect health, my eyes are brighter, I have added 12 pounds to my weight, my color is good, and I feel light and happy."—MISS AGNES MILLER, 25 Potomac Avenue, Chicago, Ill.

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"I was certainly glad to find that within a week I felt much better, the terrible pains in the back and side were beginning to cease, and at the time of menstruation I did not have nearly as serious a time as heretofore, so I continued its use for two months, and at the end of that time I was like a new woman. I really have never felt better in my life, have not had a sick headache since, and weigh 20 pounds more than I ever did, so I unhesitatingly recommend your medicine."—MRS. MAY HAULE, Edgerton, Wis., President Household Economics Club.

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Call for Republican Convention

Pursuant to call of district chairmen of the Fourth Congressional District. The republicans of Jackson county will meet in their separate townships on Saturday, Feb. 27th, 1904, at such time and place as may be designated by the precinct committeemen, for the purpose of selecting delegates and alternate delegates to the convention to be held in the city of Columbus, Ind., on Tuesday, March the 1st, 1904, at 1 o'clock p. m., for the purpose of selecting two delegates and two alternate delegates to the national convention, also one elector for said district. Jackson county will be entitled to 11 delegates and 11 alternate delegates to this convention apportioned the different townships as follows:

TOWNSHIP	DELEGATES	ALTERNATES
Brownstown	1	1
Carl	1	1
Driftwood	1	1
Grassfork	1	1
Hamilton	1	1
Jackson	4	4
Oven	1	1
Redding	1	1
Salter Creek	1	1
Vernon	1	1
Washington	1	1

W. H. BURKLEY,
County Chairman,
I. G. SALTMAISH,
Secretary.

WARMER weather is promised for Saturday. Everybody is ready for such a change.

THERE was an unusually large number of passengers for Brownstown this morning. Grand jury is still in session you know.

GOVERNOR DUBIN and other Indiana state officers went to Cleveland to attend the funeral of Senator Hanna. Senators Fairbanks and Beveridge and some of the Indiana congressmen went with the funeral party from Washington.

THERE were some more spicy stories sent out from Bedford yesterday as if something new was discovered in the murder mystery. But there is nothing really new to give out. Public opinion seems more firmly fixed than ever that the wrong man has been arrested. The detectives are still hunting clues.

So far the Japs have the best of the Russians. But the general opinion prevails that if the Japs win finally they must be aggressive and force the fighting. In a long drawn out conflict Russia would probably have the advantage. Her resources are very great.

THE county superintendent of Bartholomew county holds that it is lawful for a teacher to chastise his pupils with a horse whip. He sustained a teacher in that style of punishment over the protests of a whole school district and the township trustee. The teacher is now passing the days alone at the school house as the patrons refuse to send their children to him.

Russian Troops Advancing.

NEW YORK, Feb. 19.—Reports received here from Korea state that Russian troops are advancing toward Seoul, and that a strong position at Ping Yang has been occupied by them, says a Herald dispatch from Tokio.

Their present movements, however do not indicate any immediate intention of attacking the Korean capital. The Japanese legation in Seoul has been greatly strengthened during the last few days.

HENRY WATKINSON continues to lambast Bryan and Hearst and they respond by referring to Watkinson's bolt in 1896.

THE rural mail carriers deserve an increase of pay and are likely to get it. The chief obstacle in the way at present arises from some of the carriers themselves who object to the provision of the bill as agreed upon which would prevent them from acting as agent for newspapers or carrying express packages etc. The department is strong in the belief that carriers should have no side lines.

THE furniture factory proposition presented by the Parlor Reclining Chair Company is a business proposition. They ask for no bonus whatever. They propose to locate their factory in Seymour if Seymour people will subscribe for preferred stock to the amount of \$9,000. This stock they are confident will yield six per cent annual dividends and their previous success in business shows them to be men of sound business judgement. The holders of this stock would have representation on the board of directors and thereby have a voice in the management of the plant. Those who have given most thought to this proposition and have inquired into the standing of the men back of it are inclined to look with favor on it. Another good factory in operation in Seymour with the opening of spring would be a mighty good thing for the city.

Miss Martha Fodermark is very sick at her home on South Walnut street of typhoid fever.

Mrs. Sanford Love and little daughter, of Chicago, are here the guests of Jerry Anderson and family.

E. M. Bush, of Evansville, formerly of this city, was reelected president of the Indiana Retail Hardware Dealers Association, which was in session at Indianapolis this week.

PEA RIDGE.

J. A. Trueblood was through here selling beef last week.

Mrs. J. A. Trueblood called on her sister at Weddleville, who is sick, last Thursday.

Mrs. T. J. Richards, of Medora, visited her daughter at Oklahoma last week.

Fred Hook and Miss Ella Henderson were married Thursday at Medora by Rev. Hobson. The boys remembered them with a serenade Saturday night.

Ben Root and Miss May Martin attended church at Pinhook Sunday.

Homor Goen and wife visited David Martins Sunday.

Miss Sadie Grismore spent Saturday and Sunday with her aunt in Oklahoma.

John Summers and wife visited in T. J. Richard's family at Medora.

John Summers and wife visited Frank Foster and family Sunday.

Rofla Robertson visited home folks from Friday until Sunday.

A. Mr. Kimmell, of Marion, moved on the farm previously owned by B. F. Roberts.

COUNCIL PROCEEDING.

Shortest Session of the Council on Record.

Council met in regular session last night, Mayor Shields presiding. Councilmen Heuser and H. P. Miller were not present. After the minutes were read and adopted the following business was transacted:

Huber, of the water committee, stated that the matter of extending the water mains to the stove factory had been delayed awaiting the outcome of the box factory. As soon as that was known the committee would take up the request of the stove factory for fire protection.

The city attorney reported that he had looked up the law pertaining to the request made by the secretary of the board of health at the last meeting. He said that the law required the health officer to keep a record and that he should have a book for that purpose. On motion of Ahlbrand the health officer was instructed to buy such a book as suited his purposes.

The street commissioner made a verbal report of what he had done in his department the past two weeks.

CLAIMS ALLOWED.

Gas Company.....\$ 4.65
Marion Winkler, rebate taxes.....2.80
Democrat printing.....7.64
Rosetta Coppel, rebate on liquor license of W. S. Coppel.....37.00
Seymour National Bank, interest.....60.00
Sentinel Ptg. Co., docket.....9.00
W. S. Everhart, St. Comr.....18.00
Oscar Jerrell, hauling.....4.50
Omer Williams, ".....10.00
Fred Fox, ".....18.00
George Harris, ".....13.50
Silas Wilder, ".....18.00
Lewis Spitz, labor.....8.70
Jno. Bradbury, ".....11.10

There was no further reports of committees and no miscellaneous business proposed so the council adjourned at 7:25 being in session only about twenty minutes.

After adjournment the mayor and councilmen met as a committee to consider the franchise ordinance proposed by the Seymour Gas and Oil Company.

JONESVILLE.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Marquett, of Carlisle, are looking for a place to locate.

Miss Kate Bozell who has been sick for about ten days of lurg fever is improving.

Miss May Kinsey spent Sunday with Mrs. Achenbach at Memphis.

Mrs. Weathers, of Brownstown, was called here on account of the serious illness of her daughter, Miss Jennie, who has been visiting here for two months. Miss Weathers had a serious attack of heart trouble.

Miss Edie Quick visited her parents here Sunday.

Dan Kerkhoff had a sale at his home west of here Feb. 16.

Geo. McIntire came down from Columbus to visit his parents Saturday evening and returned Sunday evening.

Dr. Rains and daughter Miss Stella were in our town Monday with an automobile.

Misses Edna Weathers and Gerlie Stradley and two young men from Brownstown came up Sunday to visit Melba Ruddick and wife.

Mrs. Geo. Neutrep was taken ill at the German Lutheran church here Sunday.

Miss Rhea Brookhoff was married at the home of her father here to a young man from Kansas Thursday, Feb. 11.

Mrs. Geo. Hall, of Columbus, came down to see her mother who is very sick.

SPECIAL ACT INVALID.

Supreme Court Decision will Embarrass Several Cities.

That the Legislature has no power to pass laws for the government of cities having not more nor less than a stated population to apply to a single city of the State to the exclusion of others of equal size was upheld yesterday by the supreme court. The law passed on by the court was enacted last winter applying to cities of a minimum population of 4,540 and a maximum population of 5,545. In this case the law affected only Rushville.

The test case came into the courts by the city undertaking to sell \$35,000 of school bonds under the law and the question whether William J. Hayes was bound by his offer to buy them was taken in the courts. It was held that Hayes need not take them, since the bonds are invalid.

At every session of the legislature cities all over the state ask for some special legislation. It is usually of a doubtful character from a legal standpoint and entirely local in its application. Such legislation has, however, sometimes afforded needed relief.

The last Legislature passed more than a dozen statutes applying to cities or towns of specified population within such narrow limits as to embrace a single place. Thus Marion, Goshen, Alexandria, Frankfort, Crawfordsville, Mishawaka, Martinsville, East Chicago, North Vernon, Howell and Converse each procured an act for its benefit that indicated so clearly by reference to population, the town for which it was intended that it is so indexed in the statutes.

Puts an End to it All.

A grievous wall of time comes as a result of unbearable pain from over taxed organs. Dizziness, backache, liver complaint and constipation. But thanks to Dr. King's New Life Pills they put an end to it all. They are gentle but thorough. Try them. Only 25c. Guaranteed by W. F. Peter Drug Co.

HOUSTON.

C. E. Brown and family, of Brownstown, was here Monday visiting and transacting business.

Miss Daisy Noe, of Red Brush, spent Sunday in the family of George M. Brown.

Mr. and Mrs. George Stephens went to Elizabethtown Tuesday to visit their daughters.

Miss Estella M. Noe is visiting friends at Buffalo this week.

Carl, son of James Cross, has typhoid fever.

Miss Edna Scott who works at Brownstown spent Sunday at home.

Elmer Cummings, of Brownstown, was here on business Tuesday.

School closes here Feb. 25. Exercises will be given.

Mrs. Caroline Noe is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Ellen McMahon, of Seymour this week.

John Setser, of Elkinsville, spent Sunday with parents here.

Dr. Caldwell, of Flatrock, spent Sunday with Dr. C. D. Pettigrew, of this place.

Dr. G. W. Gibson and Dr. C. D. Pettigrew attended the Indiana Pythian jubilee at Indianapolis Thursday.

Mr. Sherrill, of Elkinsville, spent Sunday in the family of W. P. Setser.

Good Spirits.

Good spirits don't all come from Kentucky. Their main source is the ver—and all the fine spirits ever made in the Blue Grass State could not remedy a bad liver or the hundred and one ill effects it produces. You can't have good spirits and a bad liver at the same time. Your liver must be in fine condition if you would feel buoyant, happy and hopeful, bright of eye, light of step, vigorous and successful in your pursuits. You can put your liver in fine condition by using Green's August Flower—the greatest of all medicines for the liver and stomach and a certain cure for dyspepsia or indigestion. It has been a favorite household remedy for over thirty-five years. August Flower will make your liver healthy and active and thus insure you a liberal supply of "good spirits." Trial size, 25c; regular bottles, 75c. W. F. Peter Drug Co.

One Week Only.

Commencing February 22, Mr. and Mrs. Harsch at New Lynn Hotel. Free examinations, 9 a. m. to 9 p. m. Glad to see all of our old patients and many new ones.

A Cure for Eczema.

My baby had Eczema so bad that its head was a solid mass of scabs, and its hair all came out. I tried many remedies but none seemed to do any permanent good until I used DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve. The Eczema is cured, the scabs are gone and the little one's scalp is perfectly clean and healthy, and its hair is growing beautifully again. I cannot give too much praise to DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve.—Frank Farmer, Bluff City, Ky. In buying Witch Hazel Salve look out for counterfeits. DeWitt's is the original and the only one containing pure Witch Hazel. The name E. C. DeWitt & Co. is on every box. Sold by Peter's Drug Co. and A. J. Pellens.

CASTORIA.

The Kind You Have Always Bought
Signature of Dr. J. C. Fitch

Armour's "New American Girl."

The Armour & Company Art Calendar for 1904 consists of six panels, each containing a colored lithograph sketch of the artist's conception of the "New American Girl." This is the third of a series of calendars issued by Armour & Company in as many consecutive years, treating on the subject of American women. Only a limited number of the 1904 "New American Girl" calendars are obtainable at this date, the demand from their very first public announcement having been unprecedentedly large, and the edition nearly exhausted. The price is 25 cents, and should be sent to Armour & Company, Chicago.

DR. FENNER'S KIDNEY and Backache CURE

All diseases of Kidneys, Bladder, Urinary Organs. Also Rheumatism, Backache, Heart Disease, Gravel, Dropsy, Female Troubles. Don't become discouraged. There is a cure for you. If necessary write Dr. Fenner he has spent a life time curing just such cases as yours. All consultations free. *Eight months in bed, heavy backache, pain and soreness across kidneys, also rheumatism. Other remedies failed. Dr. Fenner's Kidney and Backache Cure cured me completely. H. WATERS, Hamlet, N. Y. Druggists, 50c. & 1. Ask for Cook Book—Free.

ST. VITUS DANCE

Sure Cure, Circular, Dr. Fenner, Fredonia, N.Y. COX'S PHARMACY.

OUR ANNUAL WHITE SALE!

Our Annual White sale is now in full blast. Countless bargains await you during this greatest of all sales. Every day sees new goods arriving. Every day bringing forth its special bargain features for that day only, making it of vital importance for your daily attendance.

EMBROIDERIES

We have prepared 5 GREAT LOTS of Embroideries—every yard a bargain—positively the newest and best values ever offered in this city.

LOT NO. 1—About 30 pieces of Cambric and Nainsook Embroideries and Insertion.....	4 1/2c
LOT NO. 2—About 45 pieces of Cambric, Nainsook and Swiss Embroideries.....	7c
LOT NO. 3—About 60 pieces of Cambric, Nainsook and Swiss Embroideries.....	9c
LOT NO. 4—About 70 pieces of Cambric, Nainsook and Swiss Embroideries.....	11c
LOT NO. 5—About 50 pieces of finest Nainsook and Swiss Embroideries.....	14c

GOWNS

GOWNS of good Cambric Muslin, V-neck trimmed Valenciennes Lace, being a special bargain at 39c. GOWNS of better muslin, trimmed in either embroidery or lace. Special values. GOWNS of good Nainsook trimmed in either embroidery or lace. A beauty at 59c.

SKIRTS

SKIRTS of good Cambric Muslin trimmed in tucks Special. SKIRTS of good Cambric Muslin, trimmed in cluster of tucks. A bargain. SKIRTS of better Muslin, trimmed in tucks and lace. Special values. SKIRTS of good Nainsook trimmed in tucks and embroidery or lace. Unusually good at 89c.

CORSET COVERS

Corset Covers of good Cambric Muslin, trimmed in tucks and lace. A bargain. Corset Covers of good Cambric Muslin, trimmed in lace and insertion. Special values. Corset Covers of fine Nainsook, heavily trimmed in lace and three rows of insertion. Special..... 49c.

DRAWERS

Drawers of finest Cambric Muslin, trimmed in tucks and lace. 25c. Drawers of excellent Nainsook, trimmed with two rows insertion and 1 1/2 inch lace. 65c. Drawers of finest Nainsook, trimmed with eight rows insertion and three inch lace. 98c. Children's Drawers of good Cambric Muslin, trimmed in tucks. 19c.

FLYER FOR THURSDAY AND FRIDAY ONLY
36 inch Cambric Muslin, 10 cents values
A yard..... 5c

The Gold Mine Dry Goods Company

Low Fares to Georgia via Pennsylvania Lines.

Excursion tickets to Atlanta, Ga., will be sold via Pennsylvania Lines February 20th and 21st, account Department of Superintendence National Educational Association. For fares, time of trains, etc., apply to Ticket Agents of the Pennsylvania Lines.

There is only one rational way to treat nasal catarrh: the medicine is applied direct to the affected membrane. The remedy is Ely's Cream Balm. It restores the inflamed tissues to a healthy state without drying at all the life out of them and it gives back the lost senses of taste and smell. The sufferer who is tired of vain experiments should use Cream Balm. Druggists sell it for 50 cents. Ely Brothers, 56 Warren street, New York, will mail it.

Special Attention En Route Given Passengers for the South.

Via Pennsylvania Short Lines. Trains run solid from Seymour to Louisville where passengers will be met by Pennsylvania representatives and assisted on trains of connecting lines. Baggage may be checked through from starting point, and every facility will be extended for a convenient and comfortable trip. If arranged for through ticket agent of Pennsylvania Lines.

CASTORIA. The Kind You Have Always Bought
Signature of Dr. J. C. Fitch



For twelve years we have sold these celebrated Trousers and they have stood the test and have no equal for honest wear, fast color and perfect fit. Hundreds of men wear them in Jackson county.

TRY A PAIR
2.00 TO 4.00

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OFFICE OF
United Drug Co.
REXALL.
43 to 53 Leon St., Boston, Mass.

JANUARY 16, 1904.
THE W. F. PETER DRUG CO.,
Seymour, Ind.

DEAR SIR:
Tell your customers that one teaspoonful of Rexall Cherry Juice will stop a cough and one 25c bottle will cure any cough, or they can have their money back. Yours very truly,
UNITED DRUG CO.
LOUIS K. LIGHTER, Gen. Mgr

Copy of letter received by W. F. Peter Drug Co., from United Drug Co.

\$275, \$300—Cash or Time

The Harvard Piano

Made by The John Church Co.
Burkart Music Store, Agt., Seymour

WEATHER INDICATIONS.

CHICAGO, Ill., February 19, 1904. — Generally fair tonight and Saturday. Warmer Saturday.

For Sale or Trade.

Surrey in good repair. Inquire here. d129wt

For Sale.

Speckled apples at the John Ebner Ice Plant. Call, or Phone No. 4. d124f

Pies.—Peach, mince, apricot and Gooseberry at Crabb's. f20

If you haven't time to prepare Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea, it is now made in tablet form also. Get a package already to use. Makes you well; keeps you well. 35 cents. W. F. Peter Drug Co.

The blacksmith doesn't make one heavy strike and wait until the iron cools off to feel the dent—he keeps it up while the iron is hot and so should the advertiser.—White's Sayings.

When you feel like sighing long, Sighing will never pleasure bring; Learn to laugh, and laugh right. By taking Rocky Mountain Tea at night. W. F. Peter Drug Co.

For tomorrow walnut layers, pound cakes, jelly cakes, and Devil food cakes at Crabb's. f20d

"One Feather" is a folder from the Household-Ledger, New York, using as a parable for advertisers the old story about the Indian who heard that the white man liked to sleep on feathers but who tried one and found it unsatisfactory. The point of the parable is directed at the advertiser who expects results from a single ad.

Removes the microbes which impair the blood and circulation. Stops all trouble that interferes with nutrition. That's what Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea will do: 35 cents. Tea or tablet form. W. F. Peter Drug Co.

DIED.

SMITH.—Joseph Smith, age 88 years, died at his home four miles east of Tiddington Wednesday of paralysis. Burial Thursday afternoon.

The Death Penalty.

A little thing sometimes results in death. Thus a mere scratch, insignificant cuts or puny boils have paid the death penalty. It is wise to have Bucklen's Arnica Salve ever handy. It's the best salve on earth and will prevent fatality, when burns, sores, ulcers and piles threaten. Only 25c, at W. F. Peter Drug Co.

Low Fares to Indianapolis via Pennsylvania Lines.

February 21st and 22d, excursion tickets will be sold to Indianapolis account first convention, Citizens' Industrial Association of America via Pennsylvania lines. For particulars, consult ticket agents of Pennsylvania lines.

PLANT WALNUT TREES.

Lumberman Sees Large Profit in Walnut Culture.

"The price of walnut lumber has gone up away out of sight," said E. A. Ball, representative of a Southern lumber firm. "There is scarcely any of it to be found in this part of the country, except that which has been raised. There are large groves of walnut trees in many parts of this state and all of them have been planted in the last few years. They are set out when they are very small and, when they become larger, they are transplanted in regular rows.

Many farmers have devoted several acres to the cultivation of these trees and they derive an immense profit from them, considering that they only require a few acres of ground and very little or no attention.

The Baptist Meetings.

"Joining the Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers won't make a man an engineer. Joining the Farmer's Alliance won't make him a farmer. Joining the church won't make him a Christian. You may make a citizen of a negro by the fifteenth amendment but it won't make a black man white. You may vote a man into the church but not into heaven," said Mr. Landis last night in a strong sermon on "The Inevitable Necessity of a New Birth." Tonight he will preach on "The Two Steps Into the Kingdom." He will also sing a solo.

End of Bitter Fight.

"Two physicians had a long and stubborn fight with an abscess on my right lung," writes J. F. Hughes, of DuPont, Ga., "and gave me up. Everybody thought my time had come. As a last resort I tried Dr. King's New Discovery for consumption. The benefit I received was striking and I was on my feet in a few days. Now I've entirely regained my health." It conquers all coughs, colds and throat and lung trouble. Guaranteed by W. F. Peter Drug Co. Price 50c, and \$1.00. Trial bottles free.

Circuit Court News.

In the circuit court at Brownstown Thursday a divorce was granted J. Hibner from Ersa Hibner.

In the case of A. H. DeGolyer vs. Anna C. Hamilton, contract, tried Thursday, the plaintiff was given judgment in the sum of one dollar.

Entertained.

Mrs. James Demaree entertained a number of her lady friends this afternoon from two till five at her home on Ewing street. Dainty refreshments were served and all present spent a delightful afternoon. Mrs. Demaree proved herself a splendid hostess.

Make Your Arrangements.

To have your free examinations madenext week and come early. Your last opportunity. Mr. and Mrs. Harsch, Eye Sight Specialists. New Lynn Hotel. 9 a. m. to 9 p. m. Feb. 22nd to March 1st. f20d

Police Court.

William Muranda was arraigned before Judge Wesner Friday morning on the charge of intoxication, found guilty and fined one dollar and costs. Stayed. He was discovered on the porch at W. L. Johnson's residence Thursday evening and taken to jail.

Reuniting Station.

Private W. Ringwalt, of Louisville, is here to establish a recruiting station with headquarters at the office of Dr. M. F. Gerrish. He will be here for ten days.

Fresh buns, rolls and bread every evening at Crabb's or at your Grocer. f20d

Every time you cough take 5 drops of Brazilian Balm. 50 doses 25 cents.

PERSONAL.

Henry Achenpohl spent today in the city.

W. D. Bohall was at Brownstown today.

P. A. Jones made a trip to Indianapolis today.

Geo. Goodman, of Columbus, was here last night.

John W. Hamilton, of Medora, was here last night.

Dr. H. A. Cummings was over from Clearspring today.

J. B. Thompson, of Cortland, went to Columbus today.

Sherman Perry made a trip to Brownstown today.

H. S. Dell was a northbound passenger this morning.

William Humes is home from a business trip at Williams.

Omer Itains, of Indianapolis, visited his parents here a few days.

Dr. L. Ruddick made a professional business trip to Medora today.

Dr. L. B. Hill and John Auld Forsythe were at Brownstown today.

George Bartlett made a trip to Goshen today for the Woolen Mill.

Forrest Morgan is visiting relatives in Seymour.—Westport Courier.

Hon. O. H. Montgomery was at Franklin today on legal business.

S. A. Barnes and John Murray returned from Brownstown this morning.

Miss Emma Burkart is in Cincinnati in the interest of the Palace Millinery.

Mrs. John Groub has returned from a visit with relatives at Terre Haute.

William Meyers, of Hamilton township came over this morning on business.

Miss Stella Rains went to Brownstown today to visit friends for a few days.

C. E. T. Dobbins and T. M. Honan returned Thursday from their trip south.

W. T. Branaman, C. E. Wood and T. M. Honan went down to court on No. 7 today.

Mrs. F. J. Schuler, after visiting Mrs. Phil Fetting, has returned to Crothersville.

Will Humes returned today from a campaigning tour of Saltoreek and Owen townships.

C. B. Thompson and John Nelson, of Crothersville, went through to Brownstown today.

Mrs. George Findley, of Cortland, has gone to Indianapolis to visit her son, who is very sick.

Albert Luedtke and N. V. Trautman, of Carr township, returned today from a trip to the gas belt.

Henry Oute and family have moved back from Louisville and are living on south Chestnut street.

Mrs. Theo Groub has been at Washington a few days visiting her sister, Mrs. Alex Toms and family.

Fred Sierp, Everett Carter, Thos. Tucker, Carl Mortz and numerous others were at Brownstown today.

Mrs. Horace Taylor, who has been visiting at Brownstown, left today for Washington City over the B. & O.

Earl Cox left this morning for Easton, Minnesota, to join the Ideal Entertainers for an engagement of several weeks.

Mrs. John Brooks, of Redding township, has been spending several days with her parents, A. J. Ross and family.

John Downing reports that William Schrolucke's sale Thursday was well attended despite the cold weather and property sold well.

Mrs. C. C. Isaacs and granddaughter, Miss Helen Moore, arrived at home yesterday afternoon from several months visit at Albuquerque, New Mexico.

Mort Sutton and Ernest Sutton left today for Illinois where they have employment. The former has a position in a foundry at Franklin Park, and the latter will work on a farm.

E. C. Shireman, of Martinville, a representative of the Parlor Reclining Chair Company, was here today to consult with members of the committee having the furniture factory proposition in charge.

Mrs. A. O. Moulder has returned home from a seven week's visit with her daughter, Mrs. Fred Clark at Shelbyville, Mo. Mrs. Moulder was called there by the sickness of Mrs. Clark, but reports her much better. She also visited H. M. Schwing and family while she was away.

Walter Himler, of Seymour, was the guest of Miss Florence Stearns Sunday. Miss Emma Robinson, of Seymour, spent Sunday here visiting relatives and friends. Oscar Auderheide was here from Seymour Sunday the guest of Miss Mabel Haworth. Melvin Jerrell, of Seymour, spent Sunday with Miss Lena Hole. John Dehler, of Seymour, spent Sunday with friends here. Miss Lottie Kirsch, of Seymour, was here Sunday the guest of relatives.—North Vernon Sun.

Hickman Bros. in the musical comedy "Down and Up" will be with us next Tuesday night and will beyond doubt be greeted by a large audience as this is their third visit to this city, and on previous visits have left splendid impressions. So go and enjoy a pleasant evening with the Hickman Bros.

Return of the Favorites.

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Instant Relief.—Coughs, Croup, Sore Throat.—Brazilian Balm, 50 doses 25c.

ART ILLUSTRATION.

How the W. F. Peter Drug Co. Showed The Difference to a Republican Reporter.

A Republican reporter was talking with Mr. Peter of the W. F. Peter Drug Co., lately, discussing a very interesting subject, when Mr. Peter said: "See here, I'll show you now just what I mean."

He went out and soon returned with a bit of board and two bottles. Resting one end of the board on the counter, he supported the other end with his fingers, and poured on the board from one of the bottles a drop of thick, oily substance, which slowly oozed down the rope. Then Mr. Peter took the other bottle and poured out but a drop of a clear, delicious, dark red liquid. This drop shot down the incline in twinkling of an eye.

"This first bottle," said Mr. Peter, "is the old-fashioned cod liver oil, or emulsion, as it is called. The second bottle contains Vinol. See how slowly the emulsion creeps along the board. It is thick, sluggish, unwholesome. But the Vinol dashes to the bottom at once. These two substances act like this in the human body—the cod liver oil is so thick and clogging that it merely upsets digestion, and its medicinal value is lost, while Vinol goes at once to the seat of trouble and corrects the difficulty by creating an appetite and building up the strength and general health.

Vinol, you know, is a cod liver oil preparation, and, while it contains all the medicinal elements which have made cod liver famous, it contains not a drop of oil, and is delicious to the taste. We cannot guarantee old-fashioned cod liver oil or emulsion, but Vinol is guaranteed to the limit, and if it fails to give satisfaction it costs nothing. We stand the loss. But it won't fail. Try it on our guarantee and see." W. F. Peter Drug Co.

Can Both be Right?

A. J. Diphoye, of the All "Sports" column in the Columbus Herald, and the editor of the Seymour Democrat are liable to get into a controversy over the politics of John F. Shafroth, the congressman from Colorado, who recently resigned and thus prevented himself from being unelected on the ground of fraud in his election. The Herald man says Shafroth is a democrat, while the Seymour editor vehemently contends that he is a traitor.—Columbus Republican.

Can it be possible that both of these democrats are right? Must we understand that the two terms used by these two democrats are synonymous?

A Long Freeze.

Something for children to remember is that during the winter of 1903 and 1904 there was a period of three months or more during which time the ground was frozen and that there was not a day during that time that they could not find either snow or ice on the ground. The first freeze was on November 17th, 1903, and today the 17th of February, the ground is still frozen, and has been during the three months, and the indications are that there will be several weeks of cold weather yet. This is the first time in fifty years that freezing weather has continued for so long a period without a break.—Greenfield Republican.

ONE WEEK.

The Last Chance.

To have your eyes examined free. No occasion to pay five dollars when you can have it done better for nothing. Mr. and Mrs. Harsch, Eye Sight Specialists, New Lynn. 9 a. m. to 9 p. m. Commencing Monday Feb. 22. f20d

Suit Dismissed.

The case of Dorrence E. Leppert against Mr. and Mrs. James E. Wells for alienating his wife's affections, was dismissed in circuit court by the plaintiff Thursday morning.—Columbus Republican.

Dorrence Leppert formerly lived in Seymour. He brought a suit for \$10,000 against his wife's parents, alleging that they were responsible for the alienation of his wife's affections.

Killed by a Train.

Wednesday morning at 9 o'clock Henry Beider a prominent farmer living two miles of Lovett was instantly killed by the Big 4 fast mail train while attempting to cross the B. & O. track running through Paris Crossing.

Suicide Prevented.

The startling announcement that a preventative of suicide had been discovered will interest many. A run down system, or despondency invariably precede suicide and something has been found that will prevent that condition which makes suicide likely. At the first thought of self destruction take Electric Bitters. It being a great tonic and nerve will strengthen the nerves and build up the system. It's also a great stomach, liver and kidney regulator. Only 50c. Satisfaction guaranteed by W. F. Peter Drug Co.

To cure a Cold in Head, snuff 10 Drops of Brazilian Balm. Guaranteed.

Do Little's Early Risers The famous little pills.

GENTLEMAN FROM INDIANA.

Booth Tarkington's Great Story Our Next Serial.

Yesterday concluded "The Blazed Trail" one of the best serials the REPUBLICAN has published. Tomorrow and Monday we publish some interesting stories of George Washington whose anniversary occurs Monday.

Next week we will begin publishing an Indiana story by an Indiana author.—"The Gentleman from Indiana," by Booth Tarkington, of Indianapolis.

Mr. Tarkington was born thirty-two years ago in Indianapolis, the city which he still calls home. He is a descendant of the Rev. Thomas Hooker, a noted scholar and orator of Revolutionary fame. His great-grandmother was the beautiful Mary Newton, who figures in the "Annals of Old Salem." Mary Newton married Walter Booth, and from these were descended the Booths who were the pride and glory of the stage thirty years ago.

The boyhood of Mr. Tarkington was spent in Indianapolis in much the same manner as that of other boys of his time.

Of his career at Princeton much has already been written. There he was among the most popular men of his time. To hear Booth Tarkington sing a song or tell a story was worth while. He wrote his first serious story for the Nassau Lit. It won the prize and he was shortly afterward elected editor of the magazine. He revived the Tiger, the college weekly, edited and illustrated it for a long period and gave it an important place in college literature. Together with Mr. J. Wheeler he wrote an opera, which he staged and directed, taking at the same time an important part in the cast. The play proved so popular that it was given for three successive years.

Mr. Tarkington's "The Gentleman from Indiana," has been one of the most popular stories recently published and our readers will certainly enjoy it.

NOTICE!

Mr. and Mrs. Harsch Return to Seymour.

For one week at the New Lynn, commencing February 22d. Free examinations 9 a. m. to 9 p. m. Pleased to see our old patients and any others desiring a scientific examination on eye sight troubles. f20d&w

Catarh Cannot be Cured

with LOCAL APPLICATIONS, as they cannot reach the seat of the disease. Catarh is a blood or constitutional disease, and in order to cure it you must take internal remedies. Hall's Catarh Cure is taken internally, and acts directly on the blood and mucous surfaces. Hall's Catarh Cure is not a quack medicine. It was prescribed by one of the best physicians in this country for years and is a regular prescription. It is composed of the best tonics known, combined with the best blood purifiers, acting directly on the mucous surfaces. The perfect combination of the two ingredients is what produces such wonderful results in curing catarh. Send for testimonials free.

F. J. CHENEY & CO., Props., Toledo, O. Sold by druggists, price 75c. Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

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The Kind You Have Always Bought
Bears the Signature of *Charles H. Fletcher*

GOOD OVERALLS!

Speaking of Overall — We simply want to say, that no one can show you a more complete line, or better qualities. We give particular attention to our Overall and Rail Road Coats, Jackets and Jumpers. We have a full stock of Working Clothes made in all styles and for any purpose. Railroad Men, Carpenters, Painters, Farmers and everybody who wears Overalls can be suited here. Try our Working Clothes and you will know what it is to wear the best.



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GOOD IN PIE, CAKE AND PUDDING.
NONE SUCH MINCE MEAT
In 10c Packages with List of Valuable Premiums.

PICTORIAL PUZZLE.



FIND A GOAT.

KEY TO YESTERDAY'S PUZZLE PICTURES:

Handle of pitchfork is formed by upper edge of water trough, the lines extending beyond left end of trough. Turn right side of picture down. Hidden goat is in foliage in lower right hand corner when picture is thus held.

WE MEAN BUSINESS.

both in our compliments and in our pursuit of a livelihood. Empty words have no place in our category, and when we say we can supply you with the best quality of lumber and building materials, we mean it from the ground up, and what is more, we can give you rates that will surprise you with their low figures.



The Travis Carter Co

RAILROAD RUMBLINGS.

Engineer Elgin Marsh is still confined to his home by sickness.

Engineer Bruce Murphy made a business trip to North Vernon today. H. E. Hennis, U. S. Express route agent was here today on business with C. C. Frey.

The pay checks for B. & O. S-W. railway and shop employees will leave Baltimore Friday.

Grant Milligan, of the Southern Indiana at Terre Haute, was in the city yesterday in business.

George Wilkerson of Cortland, has taken a position with the extra gang on the Southern Indiana.

It seems a difficult matter for trains to make schedule time. Few trains come in on time any more.

LITTLE HELPS.

During March cutting winds and sudden atmospheric changes will bring many little ills, for the alleviation of which we offer these "little helps."

Talcum, face creams of all popular kinds, Violet Jelly, an exquisite toilet preparation, Hudson's Marvellous Cold Cream, Camphor Ice, Witch Hazel Ointment, Paracamp, Pure Toilet Soaps, Powders, and Waters, refined Almond Meal, and Snow-atilla. Bring your prescriptions Phone 100.

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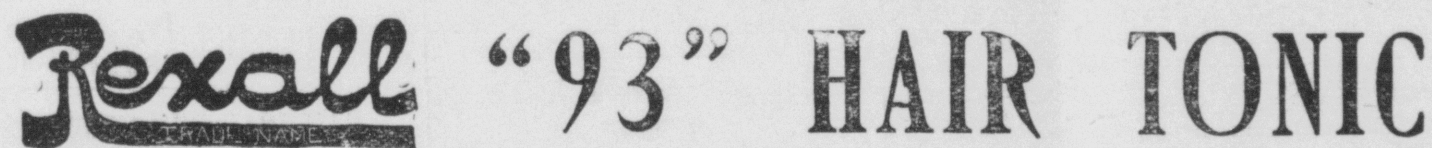
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